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Subject:

RE: ACTION: Review IAG draft text for West Lake Update

The second IA with USACE is for them to perform an independent technical review of the PRP's deliverables (reports/studies) that respond to the six NRRB recommendations (evaluate partial excavation; recalculate excavation volumes; evaluate alternative landfill cap designs; evaluate waste treatment technologies; perform groundwater fate and transport modeling; and recalculate the costs of the alternatives using a different discount rate).

USACE will not be reviewing the PRP's work plans for the reports/studies that respond to the six NRRB recommendations.

USACE will also perform ITRs of the SFS addendum report and revised proposed plan if requested by EPA (would probably require an amendment to the IA).

USACE will read key historical documents and reports for familiarity and understanding of the site only; **they will not comment on them**.

Note that the second IA has nothing to do with the isolation barrier.

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Principles and integrity are expensive, but they are among the very few things worth having.

From: Carey, Curtis

Sent: Monday, August 04, 2014 4:02 PM

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Provided below is draft text for the next West Lake Update on the new IAG with the USACE. Please review and insert details in yellow just this text for now. The entire WL Update will come in the next day or two for your review. Once you review this text we will get Karl's approval.

"EPA Region 7 has entered into its second Inter-Agency Agreement with the United States Army Corps of Engineers. This second agreement establishes USACE's role to perform project planning and support, technical review, and community relations at the West Lake Landfill Superfund site Operable Area 1 [INSERT WHAT PROJECT THIS IAG WILL COVER, e.g. design and construction of the IB or the final ROD. The entire Inter-Agency Agreement can be found at the following link: [OPA to INSERT LINK TO IAG document]."

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